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SUBJECT: WTDR/FTI KARL J.C.H. HUECK

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1. NICARAGUA
OFFICE USE: 2. 219 3. 0077600 4. 01
5. KARL J.C.H. HUECK
6. APARTADO POSTAL 387
7. MANAGUA
8. CONTACT: .4. KARL J.C.H. HUECK
9. TITLE: PRESIDENT
10. PHONE: 40638 11. TELEX: NA
12. CABLE: KARUEK
13. ESTABLISHED: 1948 14. EMPLOYEES: 75
15. SIZE: LARGE 16. REPUTATION: Y-GOOD
17. REPORT DATE: 04/78
OFFICEUSE: 18. K 19. NA 20. X 21. NA 22. NA
23A. 35856/135 RETAILER, DISTRIBUTOR, IMPORTER OF ROOM AIR CONDI-
TIONERS.
23B. 35892/135 RETAILER, DISTRIBUTOR, IMPORTER OF WATER FILTERS.
23C. 35851/135 RETAILER, DISTRIBUTOR, IMPORTER OF WATER COOLERS.
23D. 36310/135 RETAILER, DISTRIBUTOR, IMPORTER OF HOUSEHOLD COOKING
EQUIPMENT.
23E. 34491/135 RETAILER, DISTRIBUTOR, IMPORTER OF HOME AND OFFICE
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SAFES.
23F. 28340/35 DISTRIBUTOR, IMPORTER OF PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS.
23G. 28445/35 DISTRIBUTOR, IMPORTER OF COSMETICS AND TOILET PRE-
PARATIONS.
23H. 35530/2 AGENT FOR WOODWORKING MACHINERY.
24. FOREIGN SALES: LOCALONLY.
25. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: BANCO DE AMERICA, APARTADO POSTAL 285;

BANCO NICARAGUENSE, APARTADO POSTAL 549; BANCO NACIONAL DE NICARAGUA

,
APARTADO POSTAL 328; AND BANCO DE CENTROAMERICA, APARTADO POSTAL
4659, ALL IN MANAGUA.

26. TRADE REFERENCES: SAME AS ITEM 27.

27. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: MCGRAW EDISON COR, ALBION, MICHIGAN,
EXCLUSIVE DISTRIBUTION OF AIR CONDITIONERS; COLEMAN CO. INC.,
WICHITA, KANSAS, EXCLUSIVE DISTRIBUTION OF AIR CONDITIONERS; KEL-
VINATOR INC., GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN, EXCLUSIVE DISTRIBUTION OF
(LEONARD) AIR CONDITIONERS; HAWS INTERNATIONAL, BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA,
EXCLUSIVE DISTRIBUTION OF WATER COOLERS; ROCKWELL INTERNATIONAL,
POWER TOOL DIVISION, PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA, EXCLUSIVE DISTRIBUTION
OF WOODWORKING MACHINERY; TAPPAN DE CENTROAMERICA, SAN SALVADOR,
EL SALVADOR, CO-DISTRIBUTOR FOR AIR CONDITIONERS, KITCHEN APPLIANCES,
SURGICAL SUPPLIES, YARDLEY LTD., LONDON, ENGLAND, EXCLUSIVE
DISTRIBUTOR FOR COSMETICS; SCHERING A.G., GERMANY, EXCLUSIVE DISTRI-
BUTION OF PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS; C.F. BOEHRINGER A.G., GERMANY,
DISTRIBUTION OF PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS; MONARCH INTERNATIONAL,
SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, EXCLUSIVE DISTRIBUTION OF CANNED FOODS.

28. POST EVALUATION: MR. KARL J.C.H. HUECK IS A WELL-KNOWN NICARAGUAN
BUSINESSMAN AND INVESTOR. HE OWNS A LARGE IMPORT AND DISTRIBUTING
COMPANY (CASA HUECK S.A.) AIR CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT, KITCHEN
APPLIANCES, PHARMACEUTICALS, SAFES AND CANNED FOODS. HE ALSO OWNS A
COSMETICS MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LABORATORIOS UNIDOS CENTROAMERICANOS

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S.A.; A PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURING PLANT, LABORATORIOS KARL

J.C.H. HUECK S.A.; A LARGE FOODSTUFF DISTRIBUTING COMPANY, DISTRI-
BUIDORA INTERAMERICANA SA; A PLASTIC CONTAINERS MANUFACTURING
CONCERN, ESPECCULIDADES PLASTICAS S.A.; A PLASTIC PIPE MANUFACTURING
COMPANY, PRODUCTOS MEJORES S.A.; AND IS SHAREHOLDER IN BANCO
NICARAGUENSE, ONE OF THE LARGEST PRIVATE BANKS IN THE COUNTRY.
MR. HUECK IS ALSO CONSIDERING ESTABLISHING FRUIT JUICE CANNING
PLANT IN THE NEAR FUTURE. MR. HUECK HAS ALSO BEEN AN OFFICIAL OF
THE NICARAGUAN GOVERNMENT IN A NUMBER OF OCCASIONS, INCLUDING
MINISTER OF FINANCE FROM 1957 TO 1963 AND PRESIDENT OF NICARAGUA'S
NATIONAL BANK FOR SEVERAL YEARS UNTIL 1975. NO INFORMATION IS
AVAILABLE ON MR. HUECK'S FINANCIAL SITUATION BUT HE IS KNOWN TO
ENJOY AMPLE FINANCIAL RESOURCES. HE ENJOYS A GOOD REPUTATION IN
LOCAL CIRCLES AND IS RECOMMENDED AS TRADE CONTACT FOR INTERESTED
U.S. CONCERNS.

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